

## REMARKS

Claims 1-12 and 17-20 are allowed and claim 13 has two Section 112 issues that have been addressed so that it too is in allowable condition.

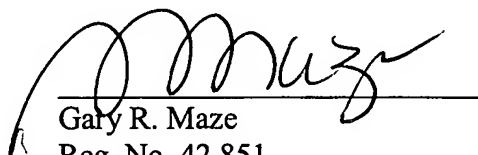
Claims 14-16 are being canceled in favor of a filing continuation application.

As to the drawing objections, formal drawings are submitted herewith that are believed to overcome the drawing objections.

Allowance of all the claims is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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